15 17. Metabolites of Ecteinascidin 743 formed by human cytochrome CYP3A4, said metabolites being selected from the group consisting of:

ETM 305

**ETM 204** 

**ETM 775** 

The Ecteinascidin 743 metabolite of Claim 17, designated herein as ETM-305.

The Ecteinascidin 743 metabolite of Claim 17, designated herein as ETM-204.

26. A pharmaceutical composition comprising one or more of the Eceteinascidin 743 metabolites of Claim 17 and a pharmaceutically acceptable diluent, excipient or carrier.

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21. The pharmaceutical composition of Claim 20, wherein the

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Ecteinascidin 743 metabolite is designated herein as ETM-305.

The pharmaceutical composition of Claim 20, wherein the Ecteinascidin 743 metabolite is designated herein as ETM-204.

A method of treating mammalian leukemia in patients in need of such treatment, said method comprising administering an effective amount of a metabolite of Ecteinascidin 743 formed by human cytochrome CYP3A4 to said patient in unit dosage form, said metabolite being selected from the group consisting of:

ETM 305

**ETM 204** 

**ETM 775** 

or mixtures thereof.

24. The method of claim 23, wherein the Ecteinascidin 743 metabolite is designated herein as ETM-305.

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25. The method of Claim 23, wherein the Ecteinascidin 743 metabolite is designated herein as ETM-204.

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26. The method of Claim 23, wherein the Ecteinascidin 743 metabolite is designated herein as ETM-775.

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A method of treating mammalian lung carcinoma in patients in need of such treatment, said method comprising administering an effective amount of a metabolite of Ecteinascidin 743 formed by human cytochrome CYP3A4 to said patient in unit dosage form, said metabolite being selected from the group consisting of:

ETM 305

ETM 204

**ETM 775** 

or mixtures thereof.

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28. The method of Claim 27, wherein the Ecteinascidin 743 metabolite is designated herein as ETM-305.

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29. The method of Claim 27, wherein the Ecteinascidin 743 metabolite is designated herein as ETM-204.

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30. The method of Claim 27, wherein the Ecteinascidin 743 metabolite is designated herein as ETM-775.

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31. A method of treating mammalian colon adenocarcinoma in patients in need of such treatment, said method comprising administering an effective amount of a metabolite of Ecteinascidin 743 formed by human cytochrome CYP3A4 to said patient in unit dosage form, said metabolite being selected from the group consisting of:

**ETM 305** 

**ETM 204** 

ETM 775

or mixtures thereof.

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32. The method of Claim 31, wherein the Ecteinascidin 743 metabolite is designated herein as ETM-305.

33: The method of Claim 31, wherein the Ecteinascidin 743 metabolite is designated herein as ETM-204.

32 34. The method of Claim 31, wherein the Ecteinascidin 743 metabolite is designated herein as ETM-775.

35. A method of treating mammalian malignant melanoma in patients in need of such treatment, said method comprising administering an effective amount of a metabolite of Ecteinascidin 743 formed by human cytochrome CYP3A4 to said patient in unit dosage form, said metabolite being selected from the group consisting of:

**ETM 204** 

**ETM 775** 

or mixtures thereof.

36. The method of claim 35, wherein the Ecteinascidin 743 metabolite is designated herein as ETM-305.

35 37. The method of Claim 35, wherein the Ecteinascidin 743 metabolite is designated herein as ETM-204.

36. The method of Claim 35, wherein the Ecteinascidin 743 metabolite is designated herein as ETM-775.

37 40. A method of assaying the human cytochrome CYP3A4 metabolism of Ecteinascidin 743, comprising monitoring a test sample for the presence of one or more metabolites selected from the group consisting of ETM-204, ETM-305 and ETM-775.